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Salt Lake City.

April 1st, 1887.

To the Presidents and members of the
Quorum of Seventies.

Dear Brethren:

Sufficient time and abundant warning having been given to all Presidents and members of the various quorums of Seventies to obtain their Bishop's recommends of good standing and have their names properly enrolled upon their respective records, we feel now that justice demands immediate action in the cases of those who have failed to obey the past advice. In accordance with the notice given in our recent circular you are hereby instructed to strike from your rolls the names of all who have failed to comply with this requirement, and to no longer consider such as members of your quorums. Of course if there is any possibility of awakening in them a renewed love for the Gospel and a desire to assist in its establishment, your Priesthood and calling demands that you should labor to this end, but as Seventies they have proved themselves unworthy of their calling and their places must therefore be filled with other and worthier men.

It must not be supposed, however, that because a man has obtained his recommend that his standing is henceforth secure; for it is incumbent upon each quorum to see that every member continues faithful in his position, otherwise an investigation of his case should be had and such action taken as the evidence will justify, and in strict accordance with instructions heretofore given upon these points.

You will please keep us advised concerning any vacancies there may now be or shall hereafter occur in the Presidency or membership of your quorums, and ordinations of new members or appointments of new Presidents should not be made without the consent of the First Council or under the personal supervision of one or more of the First Presidency, Twelve Apostles or First Seven Presidents of the Seventies.

We hope you visit and provide, where necessary, for the wants of the families of your associates who are upon missions, and that those of our brethren who, for conscience sake, are in exile or prison are by your words and deeds assured that you sympathize with them in the time of trial.

We trust also that your organizations are doing much towards the instruction and preparation of worthy men for the ministry, and that every Seventy is endeavoring to place himself in a position financially as well as spiritually to go upon a home or foreign mission at a moment's notice.

We take pleasure in presenting you herewith a financial statement for the year ending February 28th, 1887, that you may know what we have done with the money you have so kindly forwarded us. We thank you for your liberal donations and hope the disbursement will meet with your approval, as we desire to merit your future financial assistance in order not to be cramped when wisdom would dictate an expenditure of means.

ANNUAL REPORT.

*of the Treasurer of the Seventies of Receipts and Disbursements
from March 1st, 1886, to February 28th, 1887, of payments
made by the different Quorums on the Seventies, General Fund
and on License Accounts.*

Balance in the Treasury March 1st, 1886.

\$175 34

RECEIPTS.

No. of Quorum.	Amount.	No. of Quorum.	Amount.	No. of Quorum.	Amount.	No. of Quorum.	Amount.	No. of Quorum.	Amount.
2	\$20 00	20	\$31 50	38	\$10 00	56	\$—	74	\$—
3	18 75	21	12 00	39	—	57	—	75	15 00
4	22 00	22	—	40	31 75	58	10 00	76	26 00
5	4 00	23	10 00	41	15 00	59	25 00	77	32 00
6	36 25	24	20 00	42	10 00	60	—	78	14 00
7	8 00	25	—	43	20 00	61	25 80	79	15 00
8	15 00	26	5 00	44	14 00	62	27 00	80	4 25
9	8 50	27	20 00	45	12 00	63	—	81	26 80
10	18 00	28	20 00	46	8 50	64	17 25	82	17 50
11	18 75	29	19 50	47	22 00	65	33 45	83	10 00
12	6 10	30	—	48	22 35	66	15 00	84	—
13	10 00	31	20 00	49	18 50	67	27 75	85	8 50
14	48 75	32	2 00	50	21 75	68	23 35	86	—
15	20 00	33	6 50	51	16 50	69	10 00	87	27 50
16	14 00	34	12 00	52	—	70	9 50	88	10 00
17	9 00	35	13 00	53	36 00	71	9 75	89	—
18	25 75	36	—	54	15 00	72	21 00	90	10 00
19	10 00	37	29 00	55	44 10	73	15 00	91	—
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Total Receipts from Quorums.

\$1353 45

Licenses issued to various Quorums,

191 75

DISBURSEMENTS.

On appropriations made and drawn from the Treasury,

For Clerk's Salary,

500 00

For Traveling expenses,

564 70

For Missionaries families,

250 00

For Printing,

53 50

For Stamps,

42 00

For Stationary,

34 50

Total Disbursements,

1,444 70

Balance,

275 84

1,720 54

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Balance in the Treasury, March 1st, 1887.

\$275 84

Robert Campbell, Treasurer.

Approved by the First Council of Seventies, March 2nd, 1887.

It will be our pleasure to meet with the quorums as often as possible, and hope to continually see and hear that unanimity exists among the members and that all are working for the establishment and final triumph of the Church and Kingdom of God.

Your Brethren in the Gospel,

Henry Herriman,

H. S. Eldredge,

Jacob Gates,

Abraham H. Cannon,

Seymour B. Young,

C. D. Fjelsted,

John Morgan,

First Seven Presidents of the Seventies.